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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for responding to the Office Action of June 4, 2001 be extended for two months. The applicable extension fee of \$400.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. \$1.17(a) is submitted herewith.

Should any additional fees be needed, please charge our Deposit Account Number 22-0261 and advise us accordingly.

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